



## Letter to Schumer is posted

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My letter to Senator Schumer is posted at [Peak Oil NYC](#). Thanks for your input, and let me know if you have any comments. I'll send it off in the mail tomorrow. (And please forgive my brown-nosing opening sentence. Super G thought I needed it to get a staffer to even look past the first line.)

Please feel free to use this letter to contact Schumer, or your own senator. If you want to know which senators did not want the amendment tabled, [look here](#) for the ones who voted "Nay".

I realize that the Strategic Petroleum Reserve is a small issue, and perhaps we shouldn't be spending too much time on it. However, it gives us a way to get a foot in the door. By starting with specific legislation, we gain credibility and can then direct our senators' attention to the issues that are more important. I will admit that in my letter I did not hit the peak oil angle very hard. I used the phrase "oil depletion" rather than peak oil. But if you think there's another way to go about it without sounding nutty, then by all means, revise my letter and send it off to your own elected officials.

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